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PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 07414.0043-00000

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:		
BAS	KIN, Dale et al.	Group Art Unit: 1637
Application No.: 09/818,086		Examiner: TUNG, Joyce
Filed: Mar	ch 26, 2001	Confirmation No. 2844
THE POL	THODS OF DETERMINING PRESENCE OF YNUCLEOTIDES PLOYING AMPLIFICATION	

## Office of Petitions

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## PETITION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF COLOR DRAWINGS UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2)

Applicants petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2) for the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to accept the color drawings (Figures 1, 2, 3, and 4) originally filed with the application on March 26, 2001. Color drawings are necessary to even more clearly distinguish the different elements shown in the embodiments depicted in Figures 1, 2, 3, and 4.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2)(ii), Applicants enclose three sets of the color drawings (Figures 1, 2, 3, and 4; 4 sheets per set) as originally filed on March 26, 2001.

The specification as filed contains the requisite language under C.F.R.

§ 1.84(a)(2)(iii).

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Applicants note that the Examiner found the drawings acceptable. See Office Action mailed March 8, 2002, at page 3, item no. 6.

Applicants also note that the issue fee payment is being filed on the same day as this petition.

A check for \$130.00 for the petition fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h) is enclosed herewith.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this petition and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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